

IN THE CLAIMS:

1. (Cancelled).

2. (Currently Amended) The method of displaying the image according to claim 12, wherein the ~~vector~~ second group of data ~~indicating the supplementary points~~ are is classified into a plurality of data groups for supplementing the indispensable points first group of data in stages for storage on the storage member, and a selection among the classified plural data groups indicating the supplementary points is made in stages for supplementing the ~~indispensable points~~ first group of data in stages to display the image.

3. (Cancelled).

4. (Currently Amended) The method of displaying the image according to claim 12, wherein said selection between displaying the image represented by the data first group indicating the indispensable points of data and displaying the image represented by the combination of the first and second groups of data ~~group indicating the indispensable points plus the data group indicating the supplementary points~~ is made in accordance with the amount of data of the image.

5. (Currently Amended) The method of displaying the image according to claim 12, wherein said selection between displaying the image represented only by the

~~data first group indicating the indispensable points of data~~ and displaying the image represented by the combination of the first and second groups of data ~~group indicating the indispensable points and the data group indicating the supplementary points~~ is made in accordance with data memory capacity required for displaying the image.

6. (Cancelled).

7. (Currently Amended) The system of displaying the image according to claim 13, wherein said data storage member classifies the ~~vector~~ second data group, indicating the supplementary points, into a plurality of data groups for supplementing the ~~indispensable points~~ first data group in stages and stores the ~~vector~~ second data group, and in the displaying of the image said image quality selection member selects among the classified plural data groups indicating the supplementary points in stages to supplement the ~~indispensable points~~ first data group in stages.

8. (Cancelled).

9. (Currently Amended) The system of displaying the image according to claim 13, wherein said image quality selection member makes, in accordance with the amount of image data, the selection between displaying the image represented only by the first data group ~~indicating the indispensable points~~ and displaying the image

represented by a combination of the first and second data group groups ~~indicating the indispensable points plus the data group indicating the supplementary points.~~

10. (Currently Amended) The system of displaying the image according to claim 13, wherein said image quality selection member makes, in accordance with data memory capacity required for displaying the image, the selection between displaying the image represented only by the first data group ~~indicating the indispensable points~~ and displaying the image represented by the combination of the first and second data group groups ~~indicating the indispensable points plus the data group indicating the supplementary points.~~

11. (Previously Presented) The system of displaying the image according to claim 13, wherein said data storage member is provided in a server providing image data through a computer network.

12. (Currently Amended) A method of displaying a vector-mode image in which a plurality of points designated on a screen are linked to display the required image, comprising the steps of:

classifying vector data, indicating a plurality of points for displaying the image, into a first group of data and a second group of data ~~comprising indispensable points,~~ wherein the first group of data has a number of the plurality of points, the number of plurality of points included in the first group of data ~~indispensable points~~ is substantially

equal to a minimum number of the plurality of points required to recognize the image, and ~~[[a]]~~ the second group of data comprising supplementary points for supplementing the indispensable points first group of data to display a more precise image~~[[,]]~~ ; ~~for~~ storage

storing the vector data on a storage member; and

selecting between displaying the image represented only by the data first group ~~of data comprising the indispensable points~~ and displaying the image represented by a combination of the first and second groups of data ~~group comprising the indispensable points plus the data group comprising the supplementary points~~, when the image is displayed;

wherein the image is represented only by the data first group of data ~~comprising the indispensable points~~ when being scrolled on a screen.

13. (Currently Amended) A system of displaying an image in which a plurality of points designated on a screen are linked to display the required vector image, comprising:

a data storage member ~~for~~ classifying vector data, indicating a plurality of points for representing the image, into a first data group and a second data group, ~~comprising indispensable points, wherein the first data group has a number of the plurality of points, the number of the plurality of points included in the first data group included in the indispensable points~~ is substantially equal to a minimum number of the plurality of points required to recognize the image, and ~~[[a]]~~ the second data group comprising

supplementary points for supplementing the ~~indispensable points~~ first data group to represent the more precise image, and for ~~the data storage member~~ storing the vector data; and

an image quality selection member for selecting between reading the first data group ~~comprising the indispensable points~~ from said data storage member for displaying the image and reading the first and second data group groups ~~comprising the indispensable points plus the data group comprising the supplementary points~~ from said data storage member for displaying the image;

wherein said image quality selection member selects the image display represented only by the first data group ~~comprising the indispensable points~~ when the image is scrolled on a screen.

14. (Currently Amended) A system of displaying an image in which a plurality of points designated on a screen are linked to display the required vector image, comprising:

a data storage member for classifying vector data, indicating a plurality of points for representing the image, into a first data group ~~comprising indispensable points for recognizing the image, wherein a number of the plurality of points for representing the image included in the plurality of indispensable points~~ first data group is a constant number of points, and a second data group comprising supplementary points for supplementing the ~~indispensable points~~ first data group to represent the more precise image, and for storing the vector data; and

an image quality selection member for selecting between reading the first data group ~~comprising the indispensable points~~ from said data storage member for displaying the image and reading a combination of the first and second data group groups ~~comprising the indispensable points plus the data group comprising the supplementary points~~ from said data storage member for displaying the image, wherein said image quality selection member selects the image display represented only by the first data group ~~comprising the indispensable points~~ when the image is scrolled on a screen, such that when the image is scrolled on the screen, a number of the plurality of points representing the image remains constant throughout the scrolling of the image on the screen.